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J-5 (PLANS AND POLICY) DIRECTORATE

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY, JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF

Subject: Review of JCS 1907/274

References: a. 1st N/H of JCS 1907/274

b. JCS 1907/433 c. JCS 1907/527 d. JCS 1907/529

e. lst N/H of JCS 1907/529

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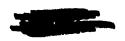
- "1. In accordance with reference a, JCS 1907/274, subject: "Military and Non-Military Countermeasures in the Berlin Crisis (Checklist) (U)," dated 12 August 1960, has been reviewed. The subject paper forwarded to the Secretary of Defense a checklist of military and non-military measures which could be taken to meet certain contingencies which might arise in connection with Berlin. Additionally, it approved the checklist for use in further planning under the US Coordinating Group for Berlin Contingency Planning.
- 2. Some of the detailed measures contained in the checklist have been overtaken by events; however, subsequent papers (references b-f) have provided current lists. It is considered that the subject paper represented the views of the Joint Chiefs of Staff at the time and that it served the purposes for which it was intended. It was one of several documents used in the preparation of later lists (references b-f).
- 3. With respect to the proposal that the list of measures contained in subject paper be consolidated with the list contained in JCS 1907/311 into a single document, it is considered that the aforementioned documents containing comprehensive lists in readily usable form, have in effect met this requirement.

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4. It is recommended that no further setting be taken on JCS 1907/274, and the Note to Holders, reflecting the above be published.

A client is recommended that no further setting be taken action of the DIRECTOR FOR PLANS AND POLICY:

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